

# DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

is the most efficient and  
perfect of leavening agents.

MADE FROM PURE CREAM OF TARTAR  
No alum, lime or ammonia.

## THEATRICAL WAR BEGUN IN N. Y.

Messrs. Shubert Withdraw  
From the Theatrical Man-  
agers Association

New York, April 8.—The announce-  
ment today by the Messrs. Shubert  
that they have withdrawn from the  
Theatrical Managers' association, is  
the first gun, according to the Tribune,  
of what undoubtedly will be a big  
theatrical war.

The Shuberts, it is stated, have long  
been the object of concern to the mem-  
bers of the syndicate composed of  
Klaw & Erlanger, Nixon & Zimmer-  
man, Charles Frohman and Al Hay-  
man, and a fight against them is said  
to have been planned. But the Shub-  
erts, according to the Tribune, have  
taken the initiative and are prepared  
to make the fight throughout.

A new manager's association which  
will include David Belasco, Harrison  
Grey Fiske and the Shuberts, will be  
formed, it is understood.

CONTRACT FOR W. P. PIER  
San Francisco, April 8.—The con-  
tract for the construction of a pier to

be used by the Western Pacific rail-  
road for ferry slips at its Pacific coast  
terminals in this city, was awarded  
today by the state harbor commission.  
The new pier is to cost \$364,000.

### PINGREE & KELLER, MEATS AND GROCERIES.

Cheap seeds. Now is your time to  
get them. Stratagem peas 8 cts per  
lb.; Alaska peas 8 cts. We trade you  
seeds for farm products. Bring in  
your eggs, butter, potatoes, wheat,  
chickens, etc.

JOB. PINGREE, Mgr.  
2616 Washington avenue.

### NEW YORK BALL PLAYERS EXPOSED TO SMALLPOX

Washington, April 8.—Surgeon  
General Walter Wyman, of the United  
States public health and marine hos-  
pital service, tonight designated Past  
Assistant Surgeon Sternberg, of the  
navy, to go to Richmond, Va., tomor-  
row, and examine the New York Amer-  
ican League players, who may have  
been exposed to smallpox through Hal  
Chase.

Upon Dr. Sternberg's report will de-  
pend whether the New York team will  
be permitted to open the baseball sea-  
son here next Monday, according to  
the schedule.

### INDORSED COMMITTEE REPORT

Des Moines, April 8.—The house to-  
day indorsed the special investigating  
committee's report on cruelty to in-  
mates of state insane asylums and de-  
nied the formal request of the state  
board of control to be allowed to make  
a statement. The report states that  
nude women were huddled in rooms,  
others were plunged into ice-cold baths  
and one woman attacked by a negro  
attendant.

## SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

25c and 35c Corset Cover Embroidery	19c	15c Rose Hat Pins	10c
35c and 40c Fancy Ribbons	23c	\$10.00 Alligator Bags	\$6.95
50c Wire Hair Rolls	23c		

OUR ENTIRE LINE OF EASTER GOODS AT COST  
OUR ENTIRE LINE OF ALLOVER LACES AT COST  
500 UMBRELLAS AT A GREAT DISCOUNT

THOUSANDS OF BELTS AT SPECIAL PRICES 15c ELASTIC BELTS	10c
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SPECIAL SALE IN HAIR PUFFS AND SWITCHES

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF 35c EASTER NECKWEAR	29c	15c Linen Handkerchiefs	10c
		20c Linen Handkerchiefs	12 1/2c

THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF RUCHING AT 1 CENT AN INCH

65c Scarfs	39c	75c Embroidery Cushion Slips	59c
65c Shams	39c		

HUNDREDS OF PAIRS OF SAMPLE HOSIERY AT A  
SPECIAL DISCOUNT

10c Real Linen Lace	5c	25c Doz. Ladies' 25c Knit Vests	20c
50 Doz. Ladies' 20c Knit Vests	15c	50 Doz. Ladies' 75c Knit Drawers	50c

### Muslin Underwear Sale

65c Chemise	49c	8c Apron Gingham	6 1/4c
\$1.25 and \$1.50 Skirts	98c	10c Apron Gingham	7c
65c and 75c Drawers	49c	10c Dress Gingham	8 1/2c
60c Drawers	45c	12 1/2c 36-inch Cambric	10c
\$1.50 Gowns	98c	15c 36-inch Fine Muslin, short lengths	11c
70c and 75c Corset Covers	60c	10c 36-inch Muslin	8c
35c Corset Covers	25c		

### Special Values in Table Linen

ALL OUR 36-INCH ECONOMY LINENS	17 1/2c	36 to 40-inch Dress Goods, 60c quality	40c
		36 to 40-inch Dress Goods, 50c quality	35c

GREAT REDUCTIONS IN SILKS AND DRESS GOODS.

450 Slightly Soiled Shirt Waists at Half Price.  
150 Rain Coats at Cost.  
250 Spring Jackets 10 to 25 per cent off.  
500 Ladies' Walking Skirts—Spring Styles—10 to 25 per cent off

### Spring Suit Opportunity

\$18.00 Serges, Batistes, Fancies	\$14.00	\$27.50 Serges, Batistes, Fancies	\$20.00
\$25.00 Serges, Batistes, Fancies	\$16.00	\$30.00 and \$35.00 Serges, Batistes, Fancies	\$23.95

## LAST & THOMAS

## PROVISION OF DINGLEY LAW

Regarding Cotton Cloths  
Restored and Original  
Paragraph Stricken Out

Washington, April 8.—Because of  
the numerous committee amendments  
to the Payne tariff bill, the house was  
obliged today to sit later than usual  
in order to insure action on the var-  
ious paragraphs coming within the  
scope of the special rule adopted last  
Monday before the final vote is taken  
tomorrow afternoon.

At one time the Republicans were  
caught napping and an amendment by  
Mr. Clark of Missouri was made, fix-  
ing the rate of duty on iron ore, steel  
wire of No. 16 gauge, at three-quarters  
of a cent per pound. This amendment,  
however, was dropped later. Fearing  
that he might not meet with such  
success again, Chairman Payne took  
his Republican colleagues to task for  
absenteeism from the chamber and  
appealed to them to remain  
in their seats. This was done, with  
the result that in all the committee  
amendments, Mr. Payne was sustained.

While occasionally there were out-  
breaks of bad temper, on the whole,  
the session assumed a normal aspect  
and business proceeded with a reason-  
able degree of efficiency.

Paragraph 318 of the bill, regarding  
cotton cloths, was taken out of the  
provision of the Dingley law on the  
same subject was restored.

Jaquard figured goods for uphol-  
stering covers, etc., composed wholly  
or in chief of cotton or other vegetable  
fibers, were given protection by levying  
a duty of 50 per cent ad valorem.

A tax of 45 per cent ad valorem also  
was put upon tire fabric or fabrics used  
for pneumatic tires. The effect of this  
provision will be to place the duty on  
the long staple cotton used in the  
fabric.

A duty of 20 per cent ad valorem also  
was put upon cotton bleached and pur-  
ified whether medicated or not.

The dividing line between the high  
and low rates of duty on oilcloth and  
linoleum was fixed at 1 foot instead  
of 9 feet, as originally in the bill. It  
was 12 feet in the Dingley law.

The amendment reducing the Dingley  
rates of 45 cents per dozen pieces  
and 15 per cent ad valorem on cotton  
collars and cuffs, was agreed to.  
In connection with this change, Mr.  
Harrison of New York, criticized the  
method employed for presenting com-  
mittee amendments. He argued that  
they have been printed in the records  
prior to their presentation on the floor.

Because of an inadvertence in con-  
solidating the paragraphs covering lac-  
es and articles of silk and India rub-  
ber, the duty on blindings, garters and  
suspenders was increased.

Bill of Congress, offered a  
committee amendment to have retain-  
ed the duties now levied in the Dingley  
law. Mr. Fitzgerald, of New York,  
claiming he was in the interest of the  
American people, whom he wished to  
wear silk suspenders and garters, of-  
fered an amendment reducing the  
duty 30 per cent ad valorem on sus-  
pender and garters, and 40 per cent  
in the paragraph for laces.

Upon a division vote, this amend-  
ment was lost and the committee  
amendment agreed to.

Western senators today started a  
cassus of the senate in determining  
the sentiment in relation to putting bides  
on the free list. If a majority of  
members are found to favor free  
bides, as desired by the house, the  
senate committee on finance will ac-  
cept this verdict. By this method, it  
is argued that long debate may be  
avoided.

It is the intention to discourage  
general debate when the bill is re-  
ported to the senate and begin work  
at once on the adoption of the com-  
mittee amendments.

The committee continued all day  
and until late tonight in inserting  
rates in the bill, and will be ready  
to report all but the administrative  
features to the senate next Monday.

Mr. Pujo, Louisiana, spoke in favor  
of a committee amendment offered by  
Mr. Broussard, Louisiana, excepting  
rice from the provisions permitting  
the free entry of products of the  
Philippine Islands. The amendment,  
which makes rice the only exception  
to the Philippine free trade provisions,  
was agreed to by a rising vote.

The paragraph covering braids  
made of artificial hair was amended  
so as to include braids of natural  
hair. Minor amendments in phrase-  
ology were made to the paragraphs  
covering wood pulp and print paper.

All the amendments that followed  
were committee amendments. The  
duty on basic papers for photographic  
process was decreased ten per cent  
ad valorem and the duty on die-cut,  
or embossed picture, post cards,  
labels and similar articles, was re-  
duced to 1 1/2 cent and 1 cent on both  
embossed and die-cut.

No attempt has been made to clear  
away the ruins and there is no water  
supply, proper sanitation or the  
means of transit.

Hundreds of wretched survivors,  
the dispatch says, are still dwelling  
in misery in huts which they them-  
selves have erected or in broken  
down railway carriages.

The Dingley paragraph placing a  
duty on toys, was restored with a  
provision that only articles intended as  
playthings for children shall be ad-  
mitted as toys.

A duty of 25 per cent ad valorem was  
placed on toys, and a provision was  
added that only articles intended as  
playthings for children shall be ad-  
mitted as toys.

Mr. Payne, New York, offered an  
amendment which included in the free  
list, several coal tar products. He  
also submitted a substitute for the  
maximum and minimum section of the

bill and the new grain drawback pro-  
vision to be acted upon tomorrow.

Don't use harsh physics. The reac-  
tion weakens the bowels, leads to  
chronic constipation. Get Doan's Reg-  
enets. They operate easily, tone the  
stomach, cure constipation.

### JUDGE HUNT DECLARES PATENT NULL AND VOID

Helena, April 8.—In the case of the  
United States against the Northern  
Pacific railway, the Rocky Fork Coal  
company and the Northwestern Im-  
provement company, in which are in-  
volved 1,110.51 acres of coal lands in  
Carbon county, Judge Hunt of the  
United States circuit court, has ren-  
dered a decision that the patent to the  
lands in question is null and void. The  
deed recites that since the patent  
was issued in August 1893, it has  
been null and void at all times. The  
defendant is ordered to surrender the  
patent to the clerk of the court for  
cancellation. The defendant is fur-  
ther commanded to refrain from as-  
serting any claim or right to the land.  
The complainant is authorized to re-  
cover the costs.

## SALT LAKE AND STATE NEWS

### MILLO VINCENT IS DECLARED INSANE

Salt Lake, April 8.—Milo C. R. Vin-  
cent, formerly a wealthy shoe manu-  
facturer's agent, of Los Angeles, Cal., Fourth  
South street, was committed to the  
state mental asylum this morning by  
Judge Lewis on the charge of insanity.  
For the last five years he has made  
a mania for gambling, and during that  
time has lost about \$25,000 in Salt  
Lake. He still owes some \$10,000 to  
his fraternity in Salt Lake about \$2,  
500. Since his wife has refused to  
give him the property which she has  
in her name, he has become threaten-  
ing, and last Monday went home armed  
with a revolver and announced that he  
intended to kill her and himself. There-  
fore he could act, he was disarmed  
and taken to the county jail, where he  
was charged with being insane.

### DRUGGED AND ROBBED

Salt Lake, April 8.—Harry Shirley,  
hailing from Los Angeles, Cal., was  
arrested early this morning by Pat-  
rolman Lyon on the corner of Second  
South and West Temple streets, ap-  
parently in a serious condition. The  
man had evidently been drugged and  
told the policeman that he had been  
robbed by a Mexican girl of \$20.  
Shirley said he had been visiting re-  
latives in the city but that last evening  
he began drinking. He could not re-  
member where he was last or what  
saloon he had been in, but distinctly  
remembered a Mexican girl following  
him into a saloon and after he took  
a drink, did not remember anything  
more. The police are looking for the  
Mexican girl.

## NEVADA GETS THE BRYAN PRIZE MULE

Lincoln, April 8.—William J. Bryan,  
prime mule goes to Esmeralda  
county, Nevada, according to an an-  
nouncement made tonight by repre-  
sentatives of Mr. Bryan.

Esmeralda gets the mule because it  
made the best showing, from a Demo-  
cratic standpoint, in the recent elec-  
tion, registering a Democratic gain  
of 64 per cent.

The mule, which Esmeralda coun-  
ty may not know what to do with, was  
presented to Mr. Bryan during the  
late campaign by Minnesota admirers.  
He offered it then as a prize, and now  
Nevada Democrats, although they did  
not elect a president, will be owners  
of a mule.

### MADE TRIP TO NEW YORK FROM 'FRISCO IN 62 DAYS

New York, April 8.—Five days be-  
hind the Tremont, her sister ship, the  
steamer Shawmut, arrived here today  
in 62 days actual steaming time from  
San Francisco. The Tremont made  
the considerably longer voyage from  
Seattle to New York, in the same num-  
ber of days, reaching here last Satur-  
day. The two vessels were purchased  
by the Isthmian canal commission for  
use in the service between New York  
and Colon.

The Shawmut's slightly belated ar-  
rival is explained by her stop of five  
days at Montevideo for coal. She  
started from San Francisco on Febru-  
ary 1 and had the start of her sister  
vessel which had left the more north-  
erly port of Seattle, on the day pre-  
vious.

The Shawmut held the lead until she  
reached Montevideo, but was passed by  
the Tremont while she was coaling at  
the South American port, from which  
she sailed for New York on March 13.

### KING AND QUEEN OF ITALY ARE MUCH DISPLEASED

London, April 8.—A special dispatch  
from Messina declares that notwith-  
standing the dispatches to the contrary,  
the king and queen who recently  
visited the earthquake districts are  
greatly displeased with the small  
amount of work so far accomplished.

No attempt has been made to clear  
away the ruins and there is no water  
supply, proper sanitation or the  
means of transit.

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the dispatch says, are still dwelling  
in misery in huts which they them-  
selves have erected or in broken  
down railway carriages.

## DR. PRICE'S WHEAT FLAKE CEREAL FOOD

is a very nourishing food; in fact,  
an article of diet so nutritious in  
itself, would support life. On it  
you can feed with profit and with  
pleasure. Palatable and easy of  
digestion.

For sale by all Grocers

## CENSUS BILL BEFORE SENATE

New Measure Drawn Prac-  
tically to Meet Views  
of Roosevelt

Washington, April 8.—A bill to pro-  
vide for the enumeration of the thir-  
teenth and subsequent censuses, was  
today introduced to the senate by Mr.  
LaFollette, chairman of the committee  
on census, who stated that he would  
ask the senate to consider it tomorrow.  
In the house the bill was drawn  
practically to meet the views of The-  
odore Roosevelt, who vetoed the census  
bill as passed in the last session of  
because it failed to meet his views  
regarding examination of applicants  
for positions in the census work. As  
reported to the senate the bill is re-  
garded as more strictly enforcing the  
merit system. The director of the  
census may specially appoint tempo-  
rary employees, but he will not ap-  
point any one who has not served in  
former censuses or who has not been  
employed by the census bureau.

Confirmation by the senate is re-  
quired in the appointments by the  
president of 230 supervisors, the house  
bill not requiring such confirmation.  
The bill reduces the salaries of the  
chief officers of the census from the  
director down, the reductions being  
generally \$500 each. The subsistence  
allowance for special agents is reduced  
from \$1 to \$3 daily.

In the census taking, persons unem-  
ployed are required to state the num-  
ber of months of such unemployment  
during the previous calendar year and  
whether employed at the date of enu-  
meration.

The appointment of administrative  
officers is placed directly under the  
director of the census without super-  
visory power on the part of the secre-  
tary of commerce and labor as provided  
in the house bill.

## CROKER COMMENTS ON PROHIBITION WAVE

New York, April 8.—Commenting to-  
night on the prohibition legisla-  
tion now sweeping over the country,  
Richard Croker predicted that this  
course, if persisted in, would drive  
rich Americans abroad, where more  
liberal views prevail.

"Europe," said he, "can give us  
pointers on personal liberty. Here we  
stare at horse-racing, one of the  
grandest sports in the world. We class  
it as a crime. We legislate as to  
what and when a man shall drink.  
The whole question will resolve itself  
to this:

"We'll make our money here, but  
will go to Europe to enjoy it."  
Speaking of the President, whom he  
met during his stay in Washington,  
Mr. Croker said:

"He is a fine big, splendid, whole-  
souled man, genial and smart. He'll  
be more than an equal to any emer-  
gency this country may have to face.  
He is there with the poise and the  
brains, backed by plenty of physical  
strength."

## MRS. OGDEN GOELET RUNS DOWN STREET SWEEPER

New York, April 8.—Mrs. Ogden  
Goelet's automobile, with its owner  
and a chauffeur as its sole occupants,  
ran down and injured a street sweeper  
on Fifth avenue today. The accident  
occurred during the busiest hours of  
the fashionable thoroughfare, while  
hundreds of gaily dressed women  
crowded the driveway in carriages  
and automobiles and caused a block-  
ade in vehicular traffic that took  
nearly an hour to disperse.

The injured man was taken to the  
New York hospital, where he was  
found to have sustained serious in-  
ternal injuries. The chauffeur, Wil-  
liam Sullivan, was arrested.

### BEET SUGAR PRODUCERS FORM ORGANIZATION

Washington, April 8.—Beet sugar  
producers and the senators repre-  
senting beet sugar states, at a confer-  
ence today, formed an organization in-  
tended to include the senators from  
cane sugar states, the object of which  
will be to safeguard the industry  
against the development of the sugar  
industry in the Philippines, in com-  
petition with the United States. Pro-  
tests were made against the provision  
in the Payne bill for the free admission  
of 300,000 gross tons of sugar annually  
from the islands, on the ground that  
the provision does not prevent the ad-  
mission of a much larger quantity of  
what would amount to a reduced rate  
for the whole, by reason of the shippers  
proportionating the free export sugar,  
so that each would receive a benefit.  
In other words, 600,000 tons would  
come in at half the prescribed rates,  
or 100,000 at a reduction of 25 per cent  
of the established rate.

Beet sugar producers claim that, the  
industry in the Philippines would be  
developed to such an extent that even  
such a reduction in the rate would  
bring unfair competition to the indus-  
try in this country.

The sugar schedule was referred by  
the senate committee to a substitute  
committee of Senators Burrows, Smoot  
and Flint.

They agreed to give the senators  
from sugar-producing states, a hearing  
late today.

### HUGHES' PLAN OF DIRECT NOMINATIONS REPUDED

Albany, N. Y., April 8.—Governor  
Hughes' plan of direct nominations  
embodied in the Green bill was repu-  
diated by the assembly judiciary com-  
mittee after a stormy session last  
night which continued into the morn-  
ing hours, and the committee today  
reported the bill adversely to the as-  
sembly, where its defeat is confident-  
ly predicted.

Instead, the Republican organiza-  
tion proposes to support the primary  
bill of Assemblyman J. S. Phillips,

which is the general election  
law relative to the conduct of pri-  
maries by requiring primaries in those  
rural localities where no official pri-  
maries are now held.

It is required that primaries shall  
not be held prior to August 1, except  
in presidential years and that the polls  
shall be open from noon until 7 p. m.

### CHINESE MISSION TENDERED FORMER SENATOR FULTON

Washington, April 8.—It was stated  
today that the mission to China, ten-  
dered by President Taft to Former  
Senator Fulton, of Oregon, had pre-  
viously been offered to Former Repre-  
sentative Watson of Indiana. Former Rep-  
resentative Watson has declined four  
different places in the federal service  
offered to him by the president. Former  
Vice President Fairbanks has an-  
nounced that he will not enter the  
federal service.

### FAIRBANKS AND FAMILY TO VISIT OREGON

San Francisco, April 8.—Mrs. F. S.  
Schley, wife of Rear Admiral Schley,  
will sail tomorrow on the Pacific Mail  
line Manchuria for a tour of the Or-  
ent. Former Vice President Charles  
W. Fairbanks, with his wife and daugh-  
ter, expected to be a passenger on the  
Manchuria, but was unable to engage  
suitable accommodations. The Fair-  
banks party will sail on the Japanese  
liner Chiyo Maru, on April 16.

### ELEPHANT SEIZES KEEPER AND TRAMPLES HIM TO DEATH

Des Moines, April 8.—Tom, an ele-  
phant in the winter quarters of a cir-  
cus, tonight ran amuck and seizing his  
keeper, Charles Bellevue, hurled him  
high into the air, and when he fell,  
trampled him to death. The beast  
then ran through the animal park,  
uprooted small trees, destroyed three  
circuitous wagons and demolished a bridge  
across a lagoon. Forty bullets were  
fired into the elephant before it was  
subdued.

### THE BIRMINGHAM BURNS LESS COAL IN TEST TRIP

Newport, April 8.—Official figures  
given out tonight regarding the per-  
formance of the scout cruiser, Birming-  
ham, Chester and Salem, on their test  
to show their engine economy, show  
that the Birmingham, which is equip-  
ped with reciprocating engines, again  
consumed less coal per 24 hours than  
either of her sister ships with their  
turbine engines. The Birmingham  
burned 153 1/2 tons of coal each 24  
hours; the Chester 157 tons and the  
Salem 202 tons.

### DISCOVERED POT OF GOLD

Lexington, Ky., April 8.—While dig-  
ging a posthole in an abandoned lot  
today, workmen discovered a brass ket-  
tle containing \$8,500 in gold and silver  
that apparently had been buried for  
half a century.

The lot formerly belonged to J. C.  
DeWitt, an aged pensioner, who died  
several years ago and it is the suppo-  
sition that he buried the money. The  
ground was sold at commissioner's sale  
a week ago for \$116.

### WHOLESALE RAIDS MADE BY PROHIBITION DETECTIVES

Mobile, April 8.—Wholesale raids by  
detectives in the employ of the probi-  
tion party, startled the city today  
and resulted in the seizure of large  
quantities of liquors at prominent ho-  
tels and cafes. At the new Battle  
house and the Cawthorn hotel, more  
than a carload of intoxicants were  
seized.

The search was made under the law  
forbidding the possession of intoxic-  
ants for barter.

### TEN-YEAR-OLD BOY SHOT BY PLAYMATE

Harper, Kas., April 8.—Willie Hot-  
chkiss, ten years old, who was re-  
portedly killed by wolves near here  
yesterday, was really slain by his play-  
mate, George Nichols, 10 years old,  
according to a confession made by the  
latter tonight. Young Nichols said he  
accidentally shot the Hotchkiss boy  
and invented the wolf story because  
he feared to tell the truth. Coyotes  
were found around the body and this  
helped make Nichols' story plausible.

## Great Closing-Out SHOE SALE

At  
**The PALACE**  
280 Twenty-fifth Street, and the  
**NEW STORE**  
210 Twenty-fifth Street.

The sale starts Saturday, April 10th; ends Saturday, April  
17th. The old saying of "No great loss without some small  
gain" applies to this very closing out Shoe Sale. We are glad  
to say we have secured the agency of the W. L. Douglas Shoe  
and they are on the way. We decided to close out all our  
shoes and we have stripped from its former selling price with-  
out respect to cost or value. Prices will talk as they never did  
before. Come tomorrow. It will be a big day in our clothing  
department. We make a special sale of 15 per cent off on our  
clothing for one day only. Also special prices on hats and  
furnishing goods. Don't miss this sale. Don't stay away and  
feel bitter with yourself for doing so. Come. You can't lose  
anything and we promise you that you can save from 75c to  
\$2.00 on a pair of Shoes and from \$1.50 to \$5.00 on a Suit.  
We want to close out our Shoe Stock in the next seven days.  
Every pair of shoes new, clean stock, bought for this season.

**THE PALACE GOOD CLOTHES STORE**  
280 25th St. and  
**THE NEW STORE, 210 25th St.**  
MONEY'S WORTH OR MONEY BACK.